

The Hongkong Telegraph.

FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 1890.

N°. 2509.

SIX DOLLARS
PER QUARTER.

Banks.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

1.—THE BUSINESS of the above BANK will be conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on their premises in Hongkong. Business Hours on WEEK-DAYS, 10 to 3; SATURDAYS, 10 to 1. 2.—SUMS LESS THAN \$1, OR MORE THAN \$250, one time will not be received. No Depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

3.—THE BUSINESS in the SAVINGS BANK, having \$100, or more, at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

4.—INTEREST at the rate of 3½% per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances.

5.—EACH DEPOSITOR will be supplied gratis with a PASS-BOOK, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their PASS-BOOKS, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6.—CORRESPONDENCE as to the Business of the Bank, if marked ON HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS, will be forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7.—WITHDRAWALS may be made demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his PASS-BOOK, are necessary.

FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,

G. E. NOBLE,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1890. [19]

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL \$7,500,000.
RESERVE FUND 4,600,000.
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.—
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W. H. FORBES, Esq. Hon. A. P. MCEWEN.
H. HOPPIUS, Esq. L. POENICKER, Esq.
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A. McCONACHE, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER:
Hongkong—G. E. NOBLE, Esq.
MANAGER:
SHANGHAI—JOHN WALTER, Esq.
LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANK.

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ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNT at the rate of a per cent. per Annum on the daily balance.

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For 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum.
For 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum.
For 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

CREDITS granted on approved Securities,

and every description of BANKING and EXCHANGE business transacted.

DRAFFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

G. E. NOBLE,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 3rd April, 1890. [18]

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL £4,000,000.
PAID-UP CAPITAL £500,000.

LONDON: Head Office..... 49, Threadneedle Street, West End Office..... 25, Cockspur Street, London.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, PERSIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives MONEY ON DEPOSITS, Buys and Sells BILLS OF EXCHANGE, ISSUES LETTERS OF CREDIT, forwards BILLS for COLLECTION, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to be had on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS : Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum.

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ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS a per Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balance.

AGENCY OF THE NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

GEO. W. R. PLAYFAIR, Manager.

GRIFFITH'S.

NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO,

No. 2, Duddell Street, (Between the New Oriental Bank, and Mr. Lamont's Auction Rooms),

Entrance from Duddell Street or Ice House St.

M. R. GRIFFITH'S STUDIO is open daily

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First-class PHOTOGRAPHIC PORTRAITURE in all

the Newest styles. Views of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, with choice illustrations of Chinese life and character, always ready.

Portraits enlarged to life size and painted in Oils or Water Colours by First-class Artists. Miniatures on Ivory, and all kinds of reproductions.

Hongkong, 2nd April, 1890. [142]

SIE N TING.

SURGEON DENTIST,

No. 10, D'AGUILAR STREET.

TERMS VERY MODERATE,

Consultation free.

Hongkong, 7th March, 1890. [137]

Consignees.

MOGUL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "MOGUL".

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, PENANG

AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf, and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M., TO-DAY.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 15th inst. will be subject to rent.

All claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 15th inst., or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 8th April, 1890. [151]

THE CHINA-SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM ANTWERP, LIVERPOOL, PENANG

AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship "OOPACK" having arrived from the above Ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before NOON, on the 11th instant, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 11th inst., at 4 P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 11th inst., will be subject to rent.

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO-DAY, the 5th inst.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 5th April, 1890. [159]

INSURANCES.

THE FUNDS

OF THE

STANDARD LIFE OFFICE

A RE invested entirely within the British Dominions and are thus free from the complications which might arise in time of war. They now amount to Six and three-quarter Millions Sterling, and are increasing yearly. A marked preference continues to be shown for STANDARD POLICIES, and every year since 1865, New Assurances for upwards of £1,000,000. Sums Assured have been placed on the books—a result continued uninterruptedly for so long a period by no other British Office.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents, Hongkong.

ESTD. 1864.

W. POWELL & CO.

EX S.S. "GLEN GARRY."

TRIMMED and UNTRIMMED MILLINERY,

WHITE and COLOURED STRAW HATS,

FLOWERS and FLOWER BONNETS,

CORSETS, HANDKERCHIEFS and FRILLINGS,

NEW SHADES in PLAIN TUSSORE SILK.

W. POWELL & CO.

Victoria Exchange,

Hongkong, 3rd April 1890. [156]

GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY IN LONDON.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE RISKS at Current Rates.

REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1890. [156]

THE INDIAN IMPERIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at Current Rates.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 5th November, 1889. [155]

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

Easy Terms of payment may be arranged

for MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., take at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.

Hongkong, 12th December, 1890. [151]

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED..... \$1,000,000.

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE, NO. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.

Hongkong, 1st February, 1890. [151]

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THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH, FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 1890.

Intimations.

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA
L I M I T E D,

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SPECIAL AGENTS for the KEPLER
(Concentrated and Non-Alcoholic)

A delicious "fatu-forming" and "force-producing" Digestive Food.

"The best known and the largest used."

The Lancet.

"As an article of diet in wasting diseases, the Kepler Extract is liked by patients, and often taken readily when other forms are not retained. It is a good plan to begin with a teaspoonful three times a day, but the dose may be rapidly increased to a tablespoonful or more. One of the best vehicles for taking the Extract of Malt is a little warm milk, but some people prefer it alone, whilst others like it with soda water."

London Medical Record.

KEPLER SOLUTION OF COD LIVER OIL

IN MALT EXTRACT.

An ideal form for the administration of fat."

Brit. Medical Journal.

"It has hardly any of the taste of the oil. Many can take it easily who cannot take the oil."

The Lancet.

"The taste of the oil is agreeably disguised, its nutritive qualities are greatly increased, and it is rendered easy of digestion."

Brit. Med. Journal.

DAKIN'S COD LIVER OIL.

Our Cod Liver Oil is prepared from fresh liver, without heat, and is therefore of a pale straw colour, easily digestible and free from unpleasant taste and odour.

In bottles at cents 75 and \$1.25.

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THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s extra steamers *Gavial* and *Hongkong*, left Bombay for this port on the 3rd and 5th inst. respectively.

HIS EXCELLENCY Min Yong Soh, brother of H. H. Min Yong Ik, is now president (Toh-pan) of the Korean Foreign Office.

THE many friends of Capt. Oliffent, of the steamship *Arrasian Aspar*, will regret to hear that he is ill in hospital at Singapore.

A FEW weeks ago Mariano Rodriguez was found on an island off Patagonia, where he had lived alone, having been shipwrecked in 1880.

THE Hongkong Choral Society will perform Gaul's sacred cantata "Ruth" in St. John's Cathedral on Thursday next, the 17th inst., at 5.30 p.m.

THE London Fair Tripper mournfully observes that "by the death of Pierrot the Free-trade cause in the United States has lost a powerful ally."

A REGULAR meeting of St. John Lodge, No. 618, S.C., will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, this evening, at 8.30 for 9 o'clock precisely. Many of the oil are agreeably disguised, its nutritive qualities are greatly increased, and it is rendered easy of digestion."

Brit. Med. Journal.

Visiting brethren are cordially invited

MR. C. D. Harman, agent of the O. & O. S. S. Co., inform us that the steamship *Balgic*, with mails, &c., from San Francisco, via Honolulu, and the 22nd ult., has arrived at Yokohama, and will leave for this port to-morrow.

THE weather on the North Atlantic ocean during January and February was of the stormiest kind, but many vessels report that they used oil with good effect in preventing heavy seas from boarding them. Oil is now accepted as a preventer of disasters.

WE are requested to state that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government will present the prizes awarded by the Relios Trusts on Monday next at 3 p.m., at Government House. Parents and Teachers of the prize-winners are invited to attend.

WE send that the Underwriters at New York have awarded the owner of the tug boat *P. T. Haviland* the sum of eleven hundred dollars for services rendered to the British ship *Narvalo*, from Hongkong, which grounded on the S. W. Spit, New York bay, during a dense fog on December 18th.

ANAH! the "Fragrant Waters" incubator has got to go. An Australian paper has this in its agony column:

"Dear Attorney, all fully forgiven and forgotten. Write wire through your mother. Almost distract—Ned."

No, don't put a wire through your poor old mother, Brownie.

WHEN the Prince of Wales visited "Olympia" circus he assured Barnum that it would not be his last appearance. On which the grand old hunching in voice broken with emotion, told the Prince that he had made an old man exceedingly happy. Barnum may yet have a chance of running the Prince with other dethroned monarchs as a side show.

THE Band of the A. & S. Highlanders will play the following programme on the Barrack Square, this evening, commencing at 7.30 o'clock:

March.....	"Belshazzar"	Brennan,
.....	"Vivace"
.....	"Venus"	Llewellyn,
Polka.....	"Chie"	Wheeler,
Quadrille.....	"Spanish Beauty"
Galop.....	"Saucy Kate"	Crowe,

A FEW weeks ago the Princess of Wales was a sealskin jacket made for her lapdog in Paris, and the important fact was cabled over half the civilized world. It was not of any profound degree of importance, but the result is amusing. One of the most prominent furriers in New York made twelve jackets for dogs immediately on seeing the news in the paper, and they were all sold within two weeks.

THE Admiralty have determined to introduce a new kind of saluting in the navy. Up to date, sailors have saluted their officers by raising their hats. In future they will bring the hand up to the head after the military fashion, only with the side of the hand to the front instead of the palm. The reason for this change is not obvious. It may be due either to a mere desire to abolish old customs, or to a fear that raising the hat may give the men colds in the head.

NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

I requested that all communications relating to Subscriptions, Advertising, &c., be sent to "The Manager, Hongkong Telegraph," and not to "The Editor" and not to individual members of the staff.

Letters on Editorial matters to be sent to "The Editor" and not to any other member of the staff.

Subscriptions must be accompanied by the name and address of the writer, not necessarily for publication but as evidence of good faith.

Whilst the columns of the *Hongkong Telegraph* will always be open for general public interest, it must be distinctly understood that the Editor does not in any way hold himself responsible for opinions thus expressed.

TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers are requested to forward all notices intended for insertion in that day's issue not later than Three o'clock so as not to retard the early publication of the paper.

Advertisers and Subscribers who are not ordered for a fixed sum to be paid in advance, will be charged according to the rates of the *Hongkong Telegraph*, which has the largest circulation of any English newspaper published in the Far East, and is therefore the best medium for Advertisers. Terms can be learnt on application.

The *Hongkong Telegraph*'s number at the Telephone Central Exchange is No. 1.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscribers to the *Hongkong Telegraph* are respectfully reminded that all Subscriptions are payable in advance.

THE memorial stone of the Union Church was laid yesterday evening. The Church, it will be remembered, used to be in Staunton Street, but the trustees took it down and sold the site. The old materials will be used in re-erecting the edifice in its present situation, Keane Road. Dr. Chalmers performed the ceremony. Bishop Burdon, the Rev. W. Jennings, and many members being present.

There is no such thing in this day and generation, says the *Medical Visitor* very aptly, as "making haste slowly." If the Chicago business man could shoot through a pneumatic tube into New York City in the space of a few minutes, the limited express train taking twenty-four hours to reach there would no longer be patronised. And if the New Yorker could land in Liverpool in less than two days, via an air-line, the ocean greyhounds would find their day of usefulness had fled. No one has time to build Egyptian pyramids nowadays; indeed, with every facility to visit the land of the Pharaohs, few of us have time even to stop and look at such works of art. Speed is the necessity of our time, and if lightning speed can be obtained nothing but lightning speed will be tolerated. This rule applies equally to firing a gun, making money, or the development of science. This century has already passed through the phases of a cotton age, an iron age, and is rapidly being transformed into an electrical age.

OUR Singapore contemporary the *Straits Times* has the following in its issue of the 2nd inst.:—"This morning, before Mr. Justice Goldney, in the Supreme Court, William Norris, ex-Sheriff of Singapore, who was in the custody of Warden Zimmer of the Civil Prison, appeared to make an application for an order to release him from gaol. It will be remembered that Norris disobeyed an order of the Court in respect of certain monetary irregularities, and on the 3rd February last Mr. Justice Goldney made an order for his commitment. On that day Norris could not be found, but the following day he surrendered himself and was committed to prison. On the 17th March Norris was brought before the court and cross-examined upon his affidavit in bankruptcy, and with this exception he has been confined in the Civil Prison since Feb. 4th. This morning no one appeared to oppose his application, and Mr. Goldney made an order for his release. Norris went downstairs, and was leaving the court, when a detective officer arrested him on a warrant charging him with criminal breach of trust in respect of \$87.65, an offence under Sec. 408 of the Penal Code. Norris was taken to the Police Court, and formally charged before Mr. Antinorius, and, at the request of the Police, the hearing of the case was postponed till Thursday, the 10th instant. Bail was allowed in the sum of \$1000, and Norris failing to find sureties, the magistrate made an order for his commitment."

THE first meeting of the China Association was held in London on the 3rd ult., Mr. W. Kreswick presiding, and a lot of old China hand attending. At the banquet Sir Thomas Wade, the newly-elected Chairman, presided, and "cracked up" Hongkong. Whilst proposing the toast of the evening, "The China Association," he said that he could not help feeling that a very large part of the backwashness of China and her slowness to adapt herself to Western civilisation and her tendency simply to abhor us, was due to her profound ignorance. There was one duty which they should specially keep to the front, and that was the necessity of educating China. He did not propose that the China Association should take the place of missionaries for the purpose of enlightening this ancient people, but he did propose that they should turn their attention very seriously to the establishment of papers in the native tongue that would inform the Chinese very plainly and seriously what their best interests were, and the absolute necessity of the development of their own resources, if they were to protect themselves against the influences necessarily threatening their independence. It was of no use to point, at this moment particularly, either to Russia, France or ourselves, or anybody else, as directly menacing the independence of China; but the torpor of the Chinese would necessarily invite aggression. With regard to Russia he could not refrain from observing that, with 3000 miles of continuous frontier difficulties of one kind or another might be very possible. Nothing was further from his wish than to see China converted into an aggressive power, but he could not shake the dread with which he looked forward to the possibility of her succumbing to a foreign power, out of her sheer backwardness and inertia, attributable to the ignorance of which he had just been speaking.

THE SKY MEETING.

The races to-morrow will commence at 2.30 p.m. Some really good sport is confidently anticipated, although a considerable number of the ponies entered are in anything but first class condition, while several have felt the effects of galloping on a hard track and are, to the least, under suspicion as to soundness.

The first race on the card is the Tai Ma Fong Cup, a six furlongs sprint for unplaced "Subs." grims of this and last year, and at least half a dozen candidates should face the starter. I was not previously aware that Ally Sloper had been a "Sub," but anyhow he can have no chance against ponies that race rarely if ever. It was reported yesterday that Enterprise, having won the Visitors' Cup on the "Off-Day" at the recent Jockey Club Meeting, was not qualified for this event and had been "ruled out"; however, as his name appears on the official card it is to be presumed that the Stewards went back on their original decision. If Enterprise is all right, and there is anything in public form, he ought to win this race easily. Enthusiast is a free mover, but he can't stay the distance, and as I have not seen Good Hope since the Races, I really cannot gauge his prospects for this journey. He could gallop in good form last January. Athol Brose may prove dangerous, and Thunderbolt moves in good style. Wolfang and St. Cyrus ran badly in February and the first-named is unsound, but both these "screws" are in fair condition, and the pony that beats them will be returned the winner of this race.

A gross mistake was perpetuated in making the Wayfaring Steeplechase "three times round the course"—a distance of about two and a quarter miles. No untrained pony at this season of the year could reasonably be expected to gallop such a distance at any rate of speed, and the probability is that the race will fail through. Should Enchanter, Encore, Biddhi, Venturous, and Caswell go to the post, they will canter slowly until late in the race unless they all come to grief, which is more than likely—and then the first-named will probably beat the Cyclone in a dead heat.

THE CYCLONE IN AMERICA.

LONDON, April 1st.

A great tract of land along the Mississippi valley is submerged through the bursting of the dykes.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

A GOVERNMENT decree has established civil marriage in Brazil.

THE last of the heavy armament has reached Singapore, at length. Hongkong will have a turn now, we suppose.

A HOME paper has the following inquiry:—Required immediately, the present address of James Orange, Esq., Engineer, who, in the December of 1882 or January 1883, sailed for Hongkong. Any information respecting him most gratefully acknowledged.—Write Bunting, May's, 16, Piccadilly.

Vain Hope is a good jumper, and although lacking in pace must have a good show for the "1st Sterplechase," T. J. being the best known of the others. Athol Brose is shaped like a jumper, and Total Loss, Pedro Blanco, and St. Cyrus have all negotiated the course. Perhaps horsemanship will decide the issue.

The Brokers' Cup a mile, should prove a gift to Enterprise if he is kept specially for this event, as the colt, penalty will probably stop all the race-ponies, excepting perhaps Salpetre. Musket may run well, and Wolfang, if he comes to the post sound, has a turn of speed that may bring him dangerously close to the winner.

For the Champions the best known performer are Mullinger, Musket, Keep Tryst Salpetre, and Senator, and whichever of this quintette runs unpenalised will be worth looking after. The result of the Farewell Cup will prove the best "tip" for the Champions.

AN OLD SPORTSMAN.

Hongkong, 11th April, 1890.

THE DRAIN-PIPER.

Quite a good field at the Sanitary Sky Meeting this afternoon. Nothing much doing. Punahs started for the summer. First business—consideration of sanitation at Whitefield and Yau-mui. Mr. Francis opens with a row to the Secretary, for not circulating the reports on these matters. Mr. McCallum looks very helpless, but uncouth a resolution justifying his action, or inaction. Wrong again—another resolution found, altering that. Secretary very hot. Matter dropped. Draft of the Bill for Regulating the Water Supply, forwarded by the Government for review, tabled. Mr. Francis wants a speci 1 day to deal with it. Friday fixed. Cattle question follows. Unspecified cattle said to be slaughtered. Mr. Francis points out that the Board can't do anything. Doesn't see why the Board should bother its head, anyhow. The President does, and moves that all slaughtered animals must be first inspected. Mr. Francis obstructs; says there are no existing means of carrying the order out. Left obstructing.

THE LAND INVESTMENT CO.'S ORDINANCE.

We have been requested to publish the following letter:

RANK BUILDINGS, HONGKONG,
10th April, 1890.

His Excellency Francis Fleming, C.M.G., the Officer Administering the Government of Hongkong.

SIR—I beg permission to address you thus publicly with reference to an ordinance which passed, according to the reports in the daily papers, the Legislative Council yesterday. It is entitled "The Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company Limited Ordinance," and the effect of it is to empower a limited liability company bearing that name and formed for the purpose of transacting a certain class of business in this Colony, and in this Colony only, to extend its business to every part of the known world, and to seek investment for its capital, the property of its shareholders, in any and every form of security, everywhere, at the will and pleasure of irresponsible Directors.

My object in addressing your Excellency is to entreat you to refuse to sign and confirm an Ordinance that has been, I make bold to say, allowed to pass through the Council imprudently, and which, if its true character and bearing had been noticed beforehand, would never have been allowed to be introduced. I am a shareholder in the company, and ought perhaps, to have taken steps at an earlier stage to oppose the passing of the measure, but I assure your Excellency that I calculated on the Bill being thrown out or withdrawn immediately on its coming before the Attorney General.

My objections are more of a legal and constitutional character than of the class to be expected from a person simply in the position of a shareholder. As a shareholder, I admit that the company stands in need of alteration and improvement, but I do not admit that the powers sought and obtained by means of this ordinance are quite in the right direction. I am of opinion that if the company has, unwise, raised a capital far beyond the needs and requirements of this colony, it should reduce its capital and return their money to the shareholders; but even if I thought that the association really needed more room for development it would still appear to me that the absolutely unlimited powers taken under the present ordinance are excessive and dangerous; and I should oppose it on that ground.

My objections to the ordinance are not, however, taken in my capacity as a shareholder, although my being a shareholder gives me a *locus standi* in addressing your Excellency and must add weight to my words.

I oppose this ordinance, and beg of your Excellency to refuse to send it forth to the world with your name appended, because it infringes one of the principles most stringently inculcated and enforced by the law of England with reference to Limited Liability Companies, the principle agreement embodied in the Memorandum of Association shall not be departed from, or varied in any way, with the assent of every individual shareholder in the company concerned. A company is a partnership consisting of many members, often widely scattered, and most of whom have no knowledge whatever of the business in which they have invested their funds, managed by Directors necessarily entrusted with very large powers and with very wide discretion. The objects for which every such partnership is formed are set out in its Memorandum of Association. That document, in the words of Lord Cairns, "states affirmatively the ambit and extent of vitality and power which by law are given to the Corporation, and negatively that nothing shall be done beyond that ambit and that no attempt shall be made to use the corporate life for any purpose than that which is there specified."

The Articles of Association on the other hand prescribe the means by which the objects specified in the Memorandum are to be carried into effect, and they can be altered or amended, if necessary, as the proper steps are taken as provided by the Companies' Act, but the Memorandum of Association can never, in its essentials, be varied or altered even with the assent and good will of every member of the Company. Reconstruction also, either by a voluntary winding up under the Courts or by Act of Parliament, can attain the desired end, but always a winding up and reconstruction, never an alteration.

Over and over again this fundamental principle of the law governing Limited Liability Companies has been laid down and reaffirmed in every Court in the Empire, and its preservation intact and its application to every case is essential for the protection of shareholders.

This Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company Limited was formed under the Limited Liability Act in force in this Colony. They are a reproduction of the acts of the Imperial Parliament and under their authority. This Company has its Memorandum and Articles of Association. The memorandum sets out the objects for which it is formed and for which it alone exists and can act. They are:

"The objects for which this Company is formed are from time to time and at any time to do transact and carry on in the Colony or where all or any or either of the acts deeds, matters, and things hereinbefore mentioned; that is to say, and it enunciates them.

Every shareholder subscribed his money for that purpose and that purpose alone and with the full assurance that the law protected him, even from himself, and forbade the use of his money for any other purpose; that no majority could alter that memorandum; that the members of the Company ascertaining could not vary it; that nothing but reconstruction, by the dissolution of the old Company and the formation of a new one for other purposes, could get rid of the memorandum and of its limitations; that a majority might force on reconstruction; but, whether that was under the acts or under a special act passed for the purpose, that he could not be forced to remain a member of the new organisation, he must be paid out and satisfied.

tion in a company's memorandum of Association. It is tolerably well known, however, that in a controversy between board of directors and individual shareholders it is always ten to one on the directors, backed up, as they usually are, by proxies, blindly given by those who, not knowing how to take care of their own interests cling fondly to the belief that the directors will watch over them in a spirit of lofty disinterestedness. The truth is, that if a company cannot carry out its original programme, it would, in nine cases out of ten, be best that its existence should come to an end particularly when it is remembered that a new company can always be formed to attain new objects. What we have said applies not merely to a general Bill, but also to any special Bill which the directors of companies may hereafter be encouraged to promote. All such measures should be very narrowly scrutinised when they come up for discussion.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, March 10th. A mass meeting of 25,000 workmen, held in Hyde Park yesterday, protested against the Russian system of exile to Siberia without trial and passed a resolution, asking the British Government to intercede on behalf of the exiles.

Sinclair, who was returned for Ayr last June, has applied for the Chiltern Hundreds.

March 11th.

Several Calcutta grain ships are lying idle at Liverpool owing to the strike of dock employees.

March 12th.

Mr. W. H. Smith's motion, thanking the judges who formed the Special Commission for their labors, was agreed to last night in the Commons without division. Lord Randolph Churchill, in course of the debate, in a speech of much bitterness, attacked the Government, and averred that the mountainous labour of the Times had only produced a ghastly, bloody, and rotten fetus in the shape of the Pittot forgeries. The observations of his lordship created intense sensation.

March 13th.

An unlocked lamp, found beside a body in the mine, is held to explain the explosion at Morfa Colliery.

The Prince of Wales starts for Berlin on the 19th instant to visit the Emperor, and remains a week.

March 14th.

Viscount Dunlo is now suing for divorce from Belle, Viscountess Dunlo (Miss Dillon, a music hall artist) whom he married last year.

BERLIN, March 16th.

The International Labour Conference was formally opened yesterday. The proceedings are not open to the Press.

London, March 17th.

The cotton mills in Lancashire are stopping owing to scarcity of coal. At many pits wages have, however, been advanced.

20,000 engineers employed in Tyneside Engine Building Yards have struck work.

Portugal has entered a protest against the action of Consul Buchanan in hoisting the British flag on the Shire River. Great excitement prevails in Lisbon.

Great Britain has proposed to the Slavery Conference to prohibit the admission of intoxicating liquors into Central Africa, and to heavily tax them on the Red Sea littoral.

CALCUTTA, March 18th.

Last evening, in the Viceregal Council Chamber at Government House, the Sikkim Treaty was signed by the Viceroy, representing England, and the Amban, representing China.

The ceremony occupied a few minutes only. Four copies, two in English, two in Chinese, having been read and compared, signatures and seals were attached. There were present the Hon'ble Messrs. Huichins and Scoble, Members of Council, Messrs. J. H. Hart and Ludlow, the Special Commissioner and his Secretary, the Amban's Chief and Military Secretaries, representatives of the Foreign Office, Mr. Paul, Political Officer, Darjeeling, Mr. McCartney, Government Interpreter, and the Viceroy's Staff.

The details of the treaty are not to be published till ratified by both Governments. After the ceremony the group was photographed on the piazza of the grand staircase.

BERLIN, March 19th.

The British reply to the Portuguese protest against the action of Consul Buchanan shows that the British flag was hoisted at Chioma, which is distinctly beyond Portuguese or disputed territory.

Dozens of mills are closed, owing to lack of coal. Many employers are yielding to the men's terms. Lancashire miners meet the masters to discuss terms, but many others refuse.

The dock labourers are disposed to arbitrate, and the strike is collapsing.

Captain Kerr, Member for East Down, has applied for the Chiltern Hundreds.

General Drury Lowe is gazetted Inspector-General of Cavalry.

Government sustained another defeat last night on a motion of secondary importance introduced by Scotch members, which was carried by a majority of 13 votes.

March 20th.

The House of Commons Sir James Ferguson replying to a question said that he had read the remarks made by the Duke of Connaught at the Bombay Yacht Club dinner regarding the inefficiency of the Bombay defences. The War Office, Sir James said, had arranged to supply new armament for the batteries, and the Admiralty, subject to the approval of the Treasury, would arrange for the manning of the floating defences.

BERLIN, 20th March.

It is stated that the Emperor William intends making notable military reforms. It is rumoured that a reduction in the term of service in the army and in the expenses of the service generally is contemplated by the Emperor.

March 21st.

Serious rioting took place to-day at Koenenick, a suburb of Berlin, at a workers' meeting for the discussion of the eight hours system. Gendarmes charged the crowd, and wounded several. Two gendarmes were seriously injured.

The resignation of Prince Bismarck as Chancellor and Prussian Premier, and of Count Herbert Bismarck as Interim Prussian Foreign Secretary, have been officially notified. The order issued by the Emperor William warmly extols Prince Bismarck, and hopes that the Fatherland may profit by his counsel and devotion in the future as in the past. His Majesty creates him Duke of Lauenburg and Field-Marshal.

The Prince of Wales and Prince George arrived here to-day and were received with the fullest royal honours. They were met at the station by the Emperor William and the German princes.

LISBON, March 21st.

It is officially announced here that England has not ordered the occupation of the contested territory in the Shireh region. The excitement Portugal on the subject has consequently been allayed.

CARIO, March 21st.

Stanley leaves here homeward-bound on the 7th of April.

LONDON, March 21st.

The Lisbon mail-steamer from Quillimase announces the massacre of a Portuguese Customs official named Castro together with his escort of 300 natives near Nyassa.

Intimations.

HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

(LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.)

HOUSE DECORATORS AND PAINTERS, HOUSE FURNISHERS, CARPET FACTORS, CABINET MAKERS, BEDDING MANUFACTURERS, CARVERS, DESIGNERS, GLASSERS, PICTURE FRAME MAKERS, &c.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

CARPETS taken up, CURTAINS CLEANED and stored during the Summer months.

BEDDING RE-MADE, GENERAL REPAIRS, &c.

BEST WORKMANSHIP AND MATERIALS ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEED.

HONGKONG TRADING CO., LTD.

(LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ C. CO., LTD.)

Hongkong, 9th April, 1890.

Intimations.

HONGKONG SKY MEETING.

TO-MORROW, 12th April, 1890.

ADMISSION to the Grand Stand and Enclosure—Ladies, and Members of the Hongkong Jockey and Polo Clubs, FREE; non-Members \$1.

Tickets of admission and race cards can be had on application from Messrs. NORONHA & Co., Zetland Street.

Hongkong, 10th April, 1890.

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NOTICE.

W. S. MARTEN, having commenced business as an ARTISTIC DECORATOR, at No. 2, Duddell Street, trusts to receive the patronage of those who require artistic house decorating.

Mr. MARTEN has decorated most of the Hotels, Clubs, Banks, etc., in the Far East, and his work is therefore well-known to the public. First-class Workmen only employed and the best materials used—all work being carried out under Mr. Marten's personal supervision.

Hongkong, 9th April, 1890.

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SOCIETE FERMIERE DE L'OPIUM AU TONKIN SOCIETE ANONYME.

CAPITAL 1,440,000 FRANCS.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby informed that, in conformity with the resolutions passed at the GENERAL MEETING under date of 21st March, 1890, the Dividend Warrants for the year 1889 will be paid at the rate of One Hundred and Sixty Dollars per Share.

In HANOI, at the Company's Head Office, from the 7th April, 1890.

In HONGKONG, at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, from the 25th April to the 10th May, 1890.

R. DE ST. MATHURIN,

Managing Director.

Hanoi, 8th April, 1890.

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THE NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twelfth Ordinary GENERAL MEETING of the above Company, will be held at the Head Office, Shanghai, on MONDAY, the 21st inst., at 2.10 P.M., for the presentation of the Report of Directors and Accounts to the 31st December, 1889, the declaration of DIVIDENDS, the election of Directors and Auditors for the Current Year, and the transaction of any other business which may be transacted at any Ordinary General Meeting.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 12th to the 21st inst., both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

W. H. PERCIVAL,

Acting Secretary.

Shanghai, 3rd April, 1890.

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NOTICE OF MEETING.

THE SONGEI KOYAH PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Songei Koyah Planting Company, Limited will be held at 6, Ice House Lane, Victoria, Hongkong, the Registered Office of the Company on MONDAY, the 14th day of April, 1890, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of enabling the Company to add power in the Articles of Association to enable the Company by its General Managers to forfeit or cancel any Shares on which any call or instalment shall remain unpaid, and to enable the Company to sell, re-allot or otherwise dispose of the same, and for the purpose of dealing with the said Shares, and for causing due notice to be given to the registered owners of such shares.

Should the Resolution be passed by the required majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a special resolution to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

A full and complete copy of the above proposed amendments may be seen on application at the Company's Office.

Dated 26th day of March, 1890.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.,

General Managers.

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NOTICE TO MEETING.

THE DARVEL BAY TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Darvel Bay Trading Company, Limited, will be held at 9, Queen's Road, Victoria, Hongkong, the Registered Office of the Company, on MONDAY, the 21st day of April, 1890, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of enabling the Company to add power in the Articles of Association to enable the Company by its General Managers to forfeit or cancel any share on which any call or instalment shall remain unpaid and to enable the Company to sell, re-allot or otherwise dispose of the same, and for the purpose of dealing with the said shares, and for causing due notice to be given to the registered owners of such shares.

Should the said Resolution be passed by the required majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a special resolution to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

A full and complete copy of the above proposed amendments may be seen on application at the Company's Office.

Dated the 10th day of April, 1890.

REUTER, BROCKELMANN & CO.,

General Managers.

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CAPTAIN GEORGE TAYLOR,

INLAND SEA and JAPAN COAST PILOT.

Telegraphic Address:

POWERS

Nagasaki.

Hongkong, 8th April, 1890.

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NOTICE.

THE BELLIOS TRUSTEES will hold an examination in December next in the following subjects:—

FOR GIRLS LEARNING ONLY CHINESE.

1.—Composition (a letter to be written in the Chinese character).

2.—Translation from the Chinese character into colloquial, using either the romanized or the Chinese character.

3.—Arithmetical (up to and inclusive of vulgar and decimal fractions).

FOR GIRLS GETTING A EUROPEAN EDUCATION.

1.—English Composition.

2.—Physical Geography.

3.—English History from the reign of Queen Elizabeth.

FOR BOYS.

1.—Arithmetical (including quadratic equations) and mensuration.

2.—History of the reign of Queen Victoria.

Conditions of examination will be as in former years. Date and place of examination will be announced early in November. Amount and value of prizes will be specified at the same time.

For the Trustees.

JNO. J. FRANCIS.

Hongkong, 9th April, 1890.

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CLERK OF WORKS WANTED for Sandakan (Borneo). Salary \$80 per month must have references as to sobriety and capability to superintend building operations.

Apply by letter to

"BORNEO"

Messrs. Danby, Leigh & Orange,

Hongkong, 29th March, 1890.

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SONGEI KOYAH PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given to Holders of Shares in the above Company bearing the following Nos.:

166, 190, 2456/2460

Commercial.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank—191 per cent., premium, buyers.
Union Insurance Society of Canton—\$100 per share, sellers.
China Traders' Insurance Company—\$70 per share, sellers.
North China Insurance—Tls. 355 per share, buyers.
Canton Insurance Company, Limited—\$125 per share.
Yangtze Insurance Association—Tls. 96 per share.
Ori. Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tls. 150 per share.
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company—\$360 per share, sellers.
China Fire Insurance Company—\$84 per share, sellers.
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company—\$54 per cent., premium, sales and buyers.
Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.—\$33 per share, buyers.
China and Manila Steam Ship Company—105 per share, sellers.
Hongkong Gas Company—\$135 per share, sellers.
Hongkong Hotel Company—\$185 per share, sellers.
Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per-cent. Debentures—\$50.
Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited—25 per cent. dis., buyers.
Douglas Steamship Company—\$60 per share, sellers.
China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$216 per share, buyers.
Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$86 per share, sellers.
Hongkong Ice Company—\$102 per share, sellers.
Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited—\$280 per share.
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited—\$14 per share, sellers.
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited—\$1 per share, buyers.
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B—21 per cent., premium, sellers.
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C—5 per cent., premium, buyers.
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 E—11 per cent., premium.
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited—\$120 per share, sales and sellers.
The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Ltd.—\$25 per share.
Punjani and Sungei Dua Samantan Mining Co.—\$13 per share, sellers.
The Malabar Gold Mining Co., Limited—\$13 per share, buyers.
Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company—\$80 per share, sellers.
Tonquin Coal Mining Co.—\$450 per share, sales and buyers.
The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co., Limited—40 per cent. prem., sellers.
The East Bonded Planting Co., Limited—\$22 per share, sellers.
The Songki Kayai Planting Co., Ltd.—\$22 per share, buyers.
Cruckshank & Co., Ltd.—\$10 per share, nom.
The Steam Launch Co., Limited—nominal.
The Am An Arnis Hotel and Building Co., Ltd.—par, nominal.
The China Horoco Co., Ltd.—\$38 per share, sellers.
The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Ltd.—\$18 per share, sellers.
The Green Island Cement Co. (Old Issue)—\$43 per share, nominal.
The Green Island Cement Co. (New Issue)—\$3 per share, nominal.
The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Ltd.—\$95 per share, sellers.
The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Ltd.—\$8 per share, nominal.
Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited—\$25 per share, buyers.
The West Point Building Co., Ltd.—\$40 per share, buyers.
The Peak Hotel and Trading Co., Ltd.—\$20 per share, sellers.
The Labuk Planting Co., Ltd.—\$18 per share, nominal.
The Jebelus Mining and Trading Co., Ltd.—\$5 per share, buyers.
The Selama Tin Mining Co., Ltd.—\$3 per share, buyers.
The Shummen Hotel Co., Ltd.—\$5 per share, nominal.
The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Ltd.—\$17 per share, buyers.
The Hongkong Marina, Limited—par, nominal.

EXCHANGE.

ON LONDON.—Bank, T. T. 3/1
Bank Bills, on demand 3/1
Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight 3/1
Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 3/1
Credits at 4 months' sight 3/1
Documentary Bills, at 4 months' sight 3/1
ON PARIS.—Bank Bills, on demand 3/1
Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 4/1
ON INDIA T. T. 2/1
On Demand 2/1
ON SHANGHAI.—Bank, T. T. 7/1
Private, 30 days' sight 7/1

Shipping.

ARRIVALS.
ZAMBESI, British steamer, 1,540, Parsons, 10th April.—Saigon 4th April, Rice and Paddy.—Adamson, Bell & Co.
KUTSANG, British steamer, 1,495, W. Young, 10th April.—Calcutta 23rd March, Penang 30th, and Singapore 3rd April, General.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
CANTON, British steamer, 1,110, J. Hogg, 11th April.—Whampoa 11th April, General.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
OCEANIEN, French steamer, 2,176, A. Poydonet, 11th April.—Marseilles 9th March, Alexandria 14th, Port Said 15th, Sue 15th, Aden 20th, Colombo 28th, Singapore 3rd April, and Saigon 8th, Mails and General.—Messageries Maritimes.
PEKING, German steamer, 954, F. Schulz, 11th April.—Shanghai 8th April, General.—Siemssen & Co.
MORAY, British steamer, 1,411, Wm. S. Duncan, 11th April.—Saigon 6th April, Rice and Paddy.—Adamson, Bell & Co.
CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE.
China, German steamer, for Saigon.
Amoy, German steamer, for Shanghai.
Tsinan, British steamer, for Shanghai.
Sophie Rickmers, German steamer, for Saigon.

DEPARTURES.

April 10, St. Kilda, British bark, for Foochow.
April 11, Namo, British s.s., for Swatow, &c.
April 11, Marie, German s.s., for Haiphong.
April 11, Amy, German s.s., for Shanghai.
April 11, Tsinan, British s.s., for Shanghai.
April 11, Canton, British s.s., for Swatow, &c.
April 11, China, German steamer, for Saigon.
Passengers—ARRIVED.
Per Moray, s.s., from Saigon—38 Chinese.
Per Peking, s.s., from Shanghai—Measles.
Bur, Bernemann, and 30 Chinese.
Per Zambo, s.s., from Saigon—3 Chinese.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

MY Interest and Responsibility in the Firm of Messrs. D. D. OLLIA & Co., at Hongkong, Amoy, Foochow, Taiwanfu, Takow and Tsimul ceased from the 1st day of February, 1890.

F. C. KEEKA,
Foochow, 6th February, 1890. [421]

NOTICE.

In addition to our present business in this Colony as Share & General Brokers, we have to-day established ourselves as GENERAL AUCTIONEERS.

APCAR BROS.
68, Queens Road Central,
Hongkong, 5th April, 1890. [555]

NOTICE.

M. R. KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS, late of Messrs. BIRLEY & Co., Canton, has joined our firm from this date and is authorised to sign the name of the firm.

HERBERT DENT & Co.
Canton, 15th March, 1890. [524]

NOTICE.

THE firm of BIRLEY & Co. at this port has ceased to exist, and the goodwill and business of the same has been handed over to us and will, henceforth, be conducted by Messrs. HERBERT DENT & Co. of Canton and Macao.

BIRLEY & Co.,
Canton, 15th March, 1890. [525]

REFERRING to the above all amounts due to and owing by BIRLEY & Co. will be settled by KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS,
Canton, 15th March, 1890. [526]

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BIRLEY & Co.,
Canton, 15th March, 1890. [525]

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned JOHN DODD in the Firm of Messrs. DODD & Co., at Tamsui, Kelung and Formosa, ceased as from the 1st February, 1890.

The business will as from that date be carried on by Mr. TOM GREAVES GOWLAND and Mr. HENRY PERCY WHITE.

JOHN DODD,
Hongkong, 20th March, 1890. [461]

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE First Ordinary Half Yearly MEETING

I will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company, 3, Beaconsfield Arcade, on WEDNESDAY, the 16th instant, at 4 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1889.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 8th to 16th instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
J. A. BARRETO,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 8th April, 1890. [560]

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

STEAMERS.

ARETHUSE, French steamer, 900, Aubert, 8th April.—Haiphong 4th April, General.—Messageries Maritimes.

ASHTRON, German steamer, 800, C. Zindel, 8th April.—Saigon 3rd April, Rice.—Siemens & Co.

AVOCHE, British steamer, 1,055, T. Rowin, 10th April.—Saigon 5th April, Rice.—A. G. Morris.

CATTERHUN, British steamer, 1,406, J. W. Watt, 6th April.—Sydney 13th March, Townsville 18th, Cooktown 20th, Thursday Island 23rd, and Port Darwin 26th, General.—Russell & Co.

CHINA, American s.s., 5,200, W. B. Scubury, 21st March and Yoko-hama 27th, Mails and General.—P. M. S. S. Co.

ELSE, German steamer, 747, M. Jebsen, 6th April.—Bangkok 29th March, Rice.—A. R. Marti.

FAME, British steamer, 112, W. W. Allan, Hongkong Government tender.

KUNOPAI, Chinese steamer, 602, Clifford, 9th April.—Whampoa 9th April, General.—C. M. S. N. Co.

LENNOX, British steamer, 1,327, Swinnerton, 6th April.—Saigon 1st April, Rice.—Adamson, Bell & Co.

PILOT FISH, British steamer, 161, A. Stapani, Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co.

POLYVIMIA, German steamer, 1,453, T. Bohens, 9th April.—Singapore 3rd April, General.—Siemens & Co.

SOPHIE RICKMERS, German steamer, 2,003, John Gennerichs, 4th April.—Saigon 31st March, Rice and Paddy.—Order.

TAILER, German steamer, 828, J. Schult, 7th April.—Saigon 3rd April, Rice.—A. G. Morris.

TONGSHAN, British steamer, 1,111, J. Blackbourne, 4th April.—Cardiff 17th February, General.—Ross & Co.

VERONA, British steamer, 1,876, C. F. Preston, 7th April.—Yokohama 29th March, Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

SAILING VESSELS.

ARUNDAL, British bark, 977, James A. Green, 3rd April.—Amoy 2nd April, Balast.—Order.

BYVOLA, German bark, 340, R. Hellwig, 31st March.—Bangkok 15th Feb., Teakwood.—Wieler & Co.

DANIEL T. JENNEY, American ship, 1,620, Rodick, 23rd March.—New York 4th Nov., Petroleum.—Order.

EME, British bark, 774, Summers, 2nd March.—London 6th November, General.—Order.

G. H. WAPPAS, British bark, 532, P. Hanson, 26th March.—Sandakan 26th Feb., Hard wood.—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

G. M. STANWOOD, American bark, 522, Foster, 8th March.—Newcastle, N.S.W., 11th Jan., Coal.—Butterfield & Swire.

PATAGONIA, British bark, 1,109, Wm. Hibbert, 8th March.—New York 4th Nov., Kerosene Oil.—Russell & Co.

P. N. BLANCHARD, American ship, 1,503, N. W. Blanchard, 3rd Feb.—Hirogo 29th January, Coal.—Order.

SUMATRA, British bark, 740, John Reas, 16th Jan.—Gorontalo 17th Dec., Ebony and Kaitans.—Ed. Schelliss & Co.

W. H. LINCOLN, American ship, 1,676, M. J. Dally, 12th Jan.—Yokohama 27th Dec., Kerosene Oil.—Russell & Co.

WM. H. MACY, American ship, 2,002, J. A. Ansberry, 3rd March.—Yokohama 20th March, Coal.—Order.

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